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GRAIN PRICES LOWER AGAIN

NARROW MARKET IN WHEAT AND A NET DECLINE OF 1 1-2c.

Foreign Markets Disappointing-Bul Clique Sells Heavily-Corn Weak and Lower on Very Heavy Receipts.

Chicago, Oct. 18.-Wheat to-day closed at a 1%@14c decline. It was a very narrow market, and the weakness was not so much due to any new features of the general sit uation as to the smallness of trade, and the selling by the bull clique of about 500,00 bushels long wheat. Corn was very weak on the heavy receipts and visible increase and declined %2%c. Oats declined %c Provisions, on the contrary, were strong or good short covering and closed 74:215

Wheat was rather weak at the opening December starting at 921/6921/c, as compared with Saturday's closing price o 224c. Offerings were not heavy, but there was an even smaller demand, the resulbeing a slow decline to 91% @31%c. The Liverpool wheat market responded indif-ferently to Saturday's advance here, quotations at the opening showing the modes gain of 1/2d per cental. That had a tend-ency to make the local buils cautious at the opening here, and to correspondingly encourage the bears. Other bearish features were the generous rains in the Wes and Northwest and the consequent im-provement in winter wheat prospects; liberal Northwest receipts and the heavy

world's shipments for the week, 9,500,000 Lushels. Minneapolis and Duluth received 1,494 cars, against 1,470 last week and 1,612 on the corresponding day a year ago. After the decline to 91%@91%c, the market lazily swung around in the opposite direction and up to the time of the receipt of th closing Liverpool cables, ruled fairly steady at around 92%@92%c. The Chicago receipt were 184 cars, against 210 expected, and the amount inspected out of store was 128,000 bushels. The quantity on ocean passage increased only 400,000 bushels, notwithstanding the heavy shipments for the week. Russia's contribution to the latter total was 3,220,000 bushels, compared with 2,701,000 bushels the previous week. India sent 48,000 bushels. Paris was unchanged at the opening for wheat, and 40 centimes higher for near-by deliveries of flour. The increase in the visible was only 1,135,000 bushels increase in the visible was only 1,135,000 bushels, els, compared with 2,374,000 bushels increase the year before. The present total 82,330,000 bushels, against 57,152,000 bushels a year ago. The English visible decreased \$2,000 bushels. The Atlantic port clearances for the day were liberal, amounting to the equivalent of 6,250,000 bushels. The Continental markets closed firm, Antwerp showing 12½ centimes rise and Paris 10 cen were 184 cars, against 210 expected, and the equivalent of 6,250,000 bushels. The Conti-nental markets closed firm, Antwerp show-ing 12½ centimes rise and Paris 10 cen-times. Liverpool closed unchanged to ½d lower than Saturday. The market had be-gun to decline about the time this came in, and the loss of the early advance at the foreign market accentuated the weakness. Selling of long wheat, generally credited to the old bull clique, became quite a feature near the close, and had the result of pound-ing December down to Sic. The close was at \$19.51%c.

ing December down to 9lc. The close was at 31691%c.

Corn was rather spasmodic, ruling dull and active at different periods, but with the exception of a brief interval shortly after the opening, was weak all day. The opening was weak on the heavy receipts, 1,33 cars. The market rallied a little with wheat, but when the demand from shorts ceased, which was the only support of consequence it received prices sank rapidly. The heavy visible increase, 2,763,000 bushels, was a decided factor. Charters were for 680,000 bushels. December ranged from 25% 620%c.

68.000 bushels. December ranged from 25% 625% to 25%c, closing %2%c lower at 25% 25%c.

There was a fairly active session in oats with a downward tendency to prices. The visible supply increased 1,439,000 bushels. This, and sympathy with corn, were the influences in the decline. Elevator people sold considerable May. Receipts were 45% cars. December ranged from 15% to 15% 0 18%c, and closed %c lower at 18%c.

Quite a good business was done in provisions. Large hog receipts and a decline at the yards caused a small opening decline, but the market railied sharply. The Cudahys covered on a large scale, and there was also some influential commission house buying, suggesting a renewal of outside interest. Offerings were light. At the close, December pork was 12% 15c higher at 3.75% 15%. and December ribs 7% 10c higher at 3.75% 15%. Estimated receipts Thesday: Wheat, 240 cars; corn, 890 cars; oats, 480 cars; hogs, 22,000 head.

LOCAL GRAIN MARKET.

Wheat Down a Little, but in Demand -Corn Dull and Lower-Oats

Steady. In store—Wheat, 1,573,400 bushels; corn, 224,700 bushels; oats, 77,000 bushels, and rye, 35,900 bushels.

Wheat.

Receipts past 48 hours.....

Missouri, Kansas & Texas TrustCo. at 23c, 2 cars later at 224c and 2 cars at 224c; No. 4 white, 214622c. Oats.

 Receipts past 48 hours.
 26,000

 Same time last year.
 65,000

 Shipments
 14,000
 Rye.

Receipts past 48 hours..

FILOUR—Market quiet and weak in sympathy with wheat. Quotations: Soft wheat, per barrel, patents, \$4.65/44.70; extra fancy, \$4.30/44.40; straights, \$4.10/44.30; low gardes, \$2.50/63.25. Hard—Patents, \$4.40/44.50; straights, \$4.10/42.20 bedgardes, \$2.50/63.25. Hard—Patents, \$4.40/44.50; straights, \$4.10/44.20; bedgardes, \$2.70/62.00. Established brands and city mills, 30/250; per barrel higher. CORNMEAL—Market lower, but demand fair. Quoted at 47/45c per cwt., bulk. CORN CHOP—Selling fairly but prices lower. Quoted at 43/44c per cwt., sacked. FEEDSTUFFS—Steady and in good demand. Mixed feed, 45/446c per cwt., sacked; straight bran, 45/446c per cwt., sacked; straight bran, 45/446c per cwt., sacked; straight bran, 45/46c per cwt., sacked. FLANSEED—Demand good but hardly so firm. Cash and October, 94c per bushel, upon the basis of pure.

CASTOR BEANS—Selling fairly, Car lots, \$1.12 per bushel; less, \$1.07 per bushel.

Hay.

Grain Notes. The English visible supply of wheat decreased \$2,500 bushels last week. Liverpool wheat imports for three days were \$75,000 bushels, of which 776,000 bushels were from Atlantic ports. A Minneapolis message says: We only have \$13,000 bushels of contract wheat here

nave sis, ow ousness of contract wheat here now, and that is in special warehouses. A London cable says: There is no truth in the report that Russia has prohibited wheat exports, but Russian wheat is very dear. The wheat receipts at the primary mar-

kets since the beginning of the crop year have exceeded the exports only 15 million bushels. The quantity of wheat and flour on ocean passage to Europe decreased 400,000 bushels last week and corn decreased 1,200,000 bushels.

Minneapolis wheat stocks increased 1,201, 517 bushels last week; St. Louis stocks do. 517 bushels last week; St. Louis stocks de-creased 69,000 bushels; Kansas City in-creased 53,400 bushels. The three months' receipts of grain here at Kansas City from July 15 to October 15 make a formidable showing. They were: Wheat, 25,603 cars; corn, 4,310 cars; oats, 1,245 cars.

The world's shipments of wheat last week were as follows: America, 6,039,000 bushels; Russia, 2,216,000 bushels; Danubian, 200,000 bushels; total, 9,455,000 bushels; the previous week, 7,322,000 bushels; a year ago, 8,281,000 bushels.

Yesterday's clearances for export at the four Atlantic ports were 454,000 bushels of wheat, 45,761 packages of flour, 200,000 bushels of corn, 227,923 bushels of oats and 43,000 bushels of rye. Total wheat and flour clearances amount to 625,000 bushels. Chicago grain stocks are as follows: Chicago grain stocks are as follows: Wheat, 3,119,000 bushels; decrease last week, 242,000 bushels; corn. 18,766,000 bushels, in-crease last week, 808,000 bushels. Oats, 2,970,000 bushels; decrease last week, 215,000 bushels; rye, 854,000 bushels; barley, 450,000 bushels.

Export sales at the seaboard Saturday were reported as follows: 168,000 bushels of wheat at New York and 125,000 bushels at outports, 112,000 bushels of corn and 78,000 bushels of oats at New York and 12,000 bushels of corn and 90,000 bushels of oats at outports.

bushels of corn and 20,000 bushels of oats at outports.

A Chicago message quotes the following form a reliable authority at Minneapolis: There is no charge in our situation up here. We estimate that half our crop is already out of farmers' hands. Country elevator stocks are very much lighter than usual. I have reduced my estimate on the crop to about 115 million bushels.

The primary market receipts yesterday were 1,479,000 bushels of wheat, against 1,459,000 bushels a year ago. Shipments were 534,000 bushels; last year, \$31,000 bushels. Corn receipts, 1,188,000 bushels; a year ago, 225,000 bushels, Shipments, 708,000 bushels; last year, 935,000 bushels. Changes in the visible supply of grain in the United States and Canada, as reported by the Chicago board of trade:

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Esther Clement's Grief at the Death

of Her Mother Snapped the

Cord of Life.

The remarkable and at the same time pathetic incident of a little child only 7 years of age, literally dying of a broken heart because of the loss of her mother, occurred at Spokane, Wash.

Mrs. Clement, the wife of a prominent real estate agent, died three weeks ago. From that day her little daughter Esther was so stricken with an uncontrolable grief that she absolutely refused to be comforted, and would not touch food. She became delirious, and she constantly called for her mother. Ehe breathed her last in her father's arms. The attending physician said that death came from a broken heart. Cord of Life.

MONEY, STOCKS AND BONDS.

A BETTER TONE TO THE STOCK MARKET THROUGHOUT.

Sugar Took the Lead and All Other Shares Followed, Railways as Well as Industrials, Showing an Awakening.

The week opened yesterday with but little life to the loan market. There was some little paper in from the country, rediscounts, and a little home live stock paper offering. But as a whole the demand for money was light. Rates, however, steady at 768 per cent. Currency shipments to the country only moderate. Bank clearings, \$2,070,670, against \$1,885,823, an increase of \$181,874, a gain of 9 per cent. crease of \$181.874, a gain of 9 per cent.

Eastern exchange quiet.
Houston, Fible & Co., exchange brokers,
quote it as follows: New York, par; Chicago, par; St. Louis, par.
The gold reserve yesterday was \$150,706,STN The gold reserve yesterday was \$150,006,-678.

Cashier E. F. Swinney, of the First National bank, is back from the Nashville exposition, whither he went with Governor Stephens. He says the exposition is a success and Nashville fairly prosperous. In common with the rest of the country prosperity seems to have struck that portion of the country. the country.

Money at Home and Abroad. New York, Oct. 18.—Money on call easier at 2@2½ per cent; last loan 2½; closed 2@2½ per cent. Prime mercantile paper. 4½ @4½ per cent. Sterling exchange casy with actual business in bankers' bills at \$4.84½ @4.84½ for demand, and at \$4.81½@4.83½ and \$4.85. Commercial bills, \$4.81. London, Oct. 18.—Money 1@1½ per cent. Rate of discount in the open market for short and three months' bills, 2½@25% per cent. Rate of discount in the open market for short and three months' bills, 2½@2% per cent.

New York, Oct. 18.—Clearings, \$90,797,554; balances, \$6,729,200.

Boston, Oct. 18.—Clearings, \$18,844,650; balances, \$1,541,796.

Philadelphia, Oct. 18.—Clearings, \$10,339,-540; balances, \$1,687,037.

Baltimore, Oct. 18.—Clearings, \$2,858,420; balances, \$375,338.

Clincinnati, Oct. 18.—Money 2½@6 per cent; New York exchange, par to 15c premium. Clearings, \$2,882,550.

Chicago, Oct. 18.—Clearings, \$19,191,394.

New York exchange, par. Posted rates, \$483 and \$4,8502.

St. Louls, Oct. 18.—Clearings, \$5,562,659; balances, \$396,403, Money 508 per cent. New York exchange, 25c discount bid, par asked. New Orleans, Oct. 18.—Clearings, \$1,013,072.

New York exchange, bank, par; commercial \$1,00 per \$1,000 discount.

Memphis, Oct. 18.—Clearings, \$457,275; balances, \$114,598; New York exchange selling ances, \$114,598; New York exchange selling

State and Railroad Bonds.

New York, Oct. 18.—Closing quotations on the New York Stock exchange: Alabama, class A, 197; Alabama, class B, 106; Alabama, class C, 98; Alabama currency, 98; Atchison 48, 96%; Atchison adj. 48, 58%; Canada Southern 2ds, 105%; Chicago Terminal, 44%; C. & Ohio 58, 00fered, 113; C., H. & D, 4½s, offered, 104%; D. & R. G. Ists, 11; D. & R. G. 48, 88; Eastern Tennessee 1sts, 108%; Erie general 48, 70½; F. W. & D. 1sts, t. r., 68; General Electric 58, 100; G. H. & S. A. 68, 105½; G. H. & S. A. 26s, 100; H. & T. C. consolidated 68, 104; Iowa Central 1sts, 97; Kansas Pacific consolidated t. r., 98; Kansas Facific 1sts (Denver division) t. r., 117; Louisiana new consols, 48, 95; L. & N. Uni. 48, 83%; Missouri 68, 109; M., K. & T. 23s, 619%; M., K. & T. 24s, 619%; North Carolina 48, 112; North Carolina 48, 112; North Carolina 48, 113; Northern Pacific 48, 59½; Northern Pacific 48, 59½; Northern Pacific 48, 59½; Northern Pacific 48, 59½; Northern Pacific 48, 91½; Oregon Navigation 1sts, 111½; Oregon Navigation 48, 91½; Oregon Short Line 68, t. r., 118½; Oregon Navigation 1sts, 111½; Oregon Navigation 48, 91½; Oregon Short Line 58, t. r., 91; Oregon Improvement 1sts, t. r., 100; Oregon Improvement 1sts, t. r., 100; Oregon Improvement 1sts, t. r., 100; Oregon Improvement 58, 114; St. P., C. & P. 18ts, 115; St. P., C. & P. 18ts, 115; South Carolina non-fund, ½; Southern railway 58, 91½; Standard Rope & Twire 68, 62; Tennessee new set 38, 35%; Texas Pacific regular 2ds, 27; Union Pacific 1sts, 101½; Wabash 2ds, 78½; West Shore 48, 108%; Virginia centuries, 65%; Virginia deferred, 4. State and Railroad Bonds.

Coupon 4 per cents. 1897 Q. Jan. 11314 114 Reg. 5 per cents... 1994 Q. Feb. 11414 1143 Coupon 5 per cents... 1994 Q. Feb. 11514 116 Reg. 4 per cents... 1925 Q. Feb. 1257 12634 Coupon 4 per cents... 1925 Q. Feb. 127 1274 Silver.

New York, Oct. 18 .- Bar silver, 58%c, and Mexican dollars, 44%c. London, Oct. 18.—Bar silver, 27 3-16d per ounce.

Stocks and Bonds.

New York, Oct. 18.—For the first time in several weeks prices of stocks were at no time during the day below the level of those prevailing at the close the night before. There were occasional slight reactions to-day with no better apparent cause than sympathy with Sugar, which was itself markedly strong and was turned backward at times only by prolit taking. Speculation halted during the morning in expectation of a decision by the supreme court at Washington in the Nebraska maximum freight rate case. Although this decision is expected to be in favor of the railroad and was looked to give an upward impetus to prices, the announcement that the handing down of the decision and been postponed was followed by a decided increase in the activity of trading, an activity attending the rise of prices instead of the deciline for the first time in many weeks. The strength of the granger stocks and the awakened interest and improvement in the Vanderblits were very notable. The vigorous upward movement of this powerfully influential group caused a striking advance throughout the list, net gains in nearly all the active stocks, equaling at least a point, and in several special cases equaling or exceeding 2 points. A feature of the market quite as striking as the strength of the railroad stocks was the neglect of the industrials, except Sugar, as compared with the recent trading, and even Sugar showed a falling off in activity as the day progressed and the trading in the railroad stocks developed greater animation. The money market was noticeably easy, which was an additional incentive to a renewal of speculation. The statements of railroad earnings for the second week in October which were received all show continued marked increases over the corresponding period last year, the soft coal roads showing an especially noticeable recovery from their recent heavy depression.

The bond market was not very active, but prices were generally firm. Total Stocks and Bonds. heavy depression.

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The following was the range of prices yesterday, as furnished by the C. S. Lee Commission Company, 200 New York Life building: Tobacco 814 Erie 1634 Jersey Central 934 Reading 244 T. C. I. 27 Atchison 133

. MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH. St. Louis, Oct. 18.—WHEAT—Receipts, 78,000 bushels, and shipments, 58,000 bushels. Spot lower; No 2 red, cash, elevator, 25c bid; track, 254,25c; No. 2 hard, cash, 89c; December, 354,6c; May, 234,c bid. CORN—Receipts, 218,000 bushels, and shipments, 77,000 bushels. Futures declined because of the big visible increase and heavy selling by longs, closing 5,c for December and heavy selling by longs, closing 5,c for December and heavy selling by longs, closing 5,c for December and heavy selling by longs, closing 5,c for December and heavy selling by longs, closing 5,c for December and heavy selling by longs, closing 5,c for December and heavy selling by longs, closing 5,c for December and 1,234,c bid; May, 274,c. OATS—Receipts, 103.—600 bushels, and shipments, 19,000 bushels. Spot lower; No. 2, cash, elevator, 184,c bid; track, 194,c; No. 2 white, 294,621c; December, 184,c bid; May, 216214,c. HAY—Choice, in demand; prairie, 25.0667.50; timothy, 37.00610.00. PORK—Higher; standard mess, jobbing, 85,5. LARD—Higher; prime steam, 34.27½; choice, 34.22½. BACON—Boxed lots, extra short clear and ribs, \$5.87½; shorts, \$5.12½. DRY SALT MEATS

Boxed shoulders, \$5.50; extra short clear, -Boxed shoulders, \$5.50; extra short clear, \$5.25; ribs, \$5.37½; shorts, \$5.50.

New Orleans, Oct. 18.—PROVISIONS—Steady, PORK—Old, \$½c. LARD—Refined tlerce, \$½c. BOXED MEATS—Steady; sait shoulders, 5½c; sides, 5½c. BACON—Clear rib sides, 6c. HAMS—Choice sugar cured, \$34,09½c. FLOUR—Quiet; extra fancy, \$4.50.

94.60; patents, \$5.0025.10. CORNMEAL—Quiet, \$1.50 per barret. BRAN—Quiet, \$6.0021.00; clonice, \$13.0021.50. CORN—Steady; No. 2 sacked, white, 36c; mixed, 35673c; yellow, \$3673c. OATS—Steady; No. 2 sacked, \$25½c. \$26c. RICE—Firm; ordinary to good, \$444%c. Liverpool, Oct. 18.—BACON—Long clear 26c. RICE-Firm; ordinary to good, 464%c. Liverpool, Oct. 18.—BACON—Long clear middles, light, firm, 33s; long clear middles, heavy, 32s 6d; shart clear backs, 30s; shoulders, square, 25s 6d. LARD—Prime Western dull, 23s. WHEAT—Spot No. 2 red, whiter, firm, 7s 8d; No. 1 red Northern spring new, firm, 7s 8½d. CORN—Spot, American mixed, old, firm, 3s 1½d. October quiet, 3s 13½d. BACON—Clear bellies, 12 to 14 pounds, firm, 33s. COTTONSEED OIL—Liverpool refined, 15s.

Coffee and Sugar.

New York, Oct. 18.—COFFEE—Options opened steady at unchanged prices to a decline of 5 points, showed general weak undertone following disappointing European cables, continued heavy movement at Rio and Santos, apathy with spot buyers and indifference with outside speculators. Closed dull with unchanged to 5 points lower. Sales, 8,000 bags, including December, 6.2566.30. Spot coffee—Rio, dull; No. 7, invoice, 7c; jobbing, 7½c. Mild—Quiet; Cordova, 19615c. SUGAR—Raw, nominal; fair retining, 35-16c; centrifugal, 96 test, 3 13-16c; retined quiet; standard A, 5c; confectioners' A, 5c; cut loaf, 5½c; granulated, 5½c.

New Orleans, Oct. 18.—COFFEE—Rio, ordinary to low fair, 8½609%c. SUGAR—Quiet; open kettle, 2½63%c; centrifugal, white, 3 15-1664 3-16c; yellows, 3½63 15-16c; seconds, 263c; granulated not quoted, SYRUP—19625c.

New York, Oct. 18.—Dry goods show less life than they did last week. The trading to-day was not of great extent and prices in all cotton lines still suffered from the low rates prevailing for print cloths and similar goods. The weather has been an uncomfortable factor in the situation also, the distribution being reported light in nearly all sections. Collections remain good. Brown cottons, as a rule, were easy to purchase without any very heavy demand being reported. Heavy weight goods for export are still in quiet request. Coarse colored goods in denims dull and quiet, with an easy market prevailing; other lines inactive and buyers find less difficulty in securing amounts at their own figures than they did last week. The low prices for print cloths, 2%c, failed to quicken sales. Dry Goods.

Chicago, Oct. 18.—FLOUR—Receipts, 10,000 barrels, and shipments, 27,000 barrels. Winter straights, \$4,509(4.70); spring patents, \$4.30 (25.00); bakers', \$3.80(4.00).

St. Louis, Oct. 18.—FLOUR—Receipts, 6,000 barrels, and shipments, 13,000 barrels, Quiet and lower; patents, \$4,752(4.55); straights, \$4.45(4.55); clear, \$4.10(4.20); medium, \$3.50(2.35). 3.55.

New York, Oct. 18.—FLOUR—Receipts, 32,-421 barrels; exports, 223,431 barrels. Weaker in tone, but not quotably low-er. Quoted: Minnesota patents, \$5.00 45.40; Minnesota bakers, \$3.4094.50; Winter patents, \$5.0045.25; winter straights, \$4.609 4.70; winter extras, \$5.2093.65. Rye flour—Dull; fancy, \$3.0093.50.

Butter, Eggs and Cheese.

Chicago, Oct. 18. — BUTTER — Firm; creameries, 15@22c; dairies, 19c. EGGS— Firm; fresh, 14½c. St. Louis, Oct. 18.—BUTTER—Firm; creamery, 16@23½c; dairy, 11@16c. EGGS— Steady, 13c. Steady, 12c. New York, Oct. 18.—BUTTER—Receipts. New York, Oct. 18.—BUTTER-Receipts, 5,217 packages, Quiet; Western creamery, 14@22c; Elgins, 23c; factory, 9@13c, CHEESE —Receipts, 6,556 packages, Quiet; large white, 9c; small white, 9\(\frac{1}{2}\)\(\text{diff}\) (21 gecolored, 9c; small colored, 9\(\text{94}\)\(\text{32}\)\(\text{c}\) (11l skims, 2\(\text{24}\)\(\text{dc}\). EGGS—Receipts, 8,076 packages. Quiet, Western, 17c.

Chicago,Oct. 18.—Rye—Cash,45½c; December, 46½c, Flaxseed—Cash, Northwestern, \$1.65½; December, \$1.63¾. Timothy seed—Prime, \$2.70. Prime, \$2.70. St. Louis, Oct. 18.—Flaxseed—Lower, 99c. Timothy seed—Prime, \$2.65. Rye—Steady at 423₄c.
Toledo, O., Oct. 18.—Clover seed—Active and steady; prime, cash, \$3.35. Rye— Quiet; No. 2, 47c.

Lead and Zinc.

New York, Oct. 18.—Lead—Weak at \$3,90% .00; smelters, \$3.75. Spelter—Quiet at \$4.15% 4.25. St. Louis, Oct. 18.—Lead—Lower at \$3.75@ 3.80. Spelter—Nominal at \$4.00. Cotton.

New Orleans, Oct. 18.—COTTON—Futures steady: sales, 39,500 bales, October, 5.750 5.78c; November, 5.7765.78c; December, 5.776 5.78c; January, 5.7865.80c; February, 5.846 5.85c; March, 5.8965.90c; April, 5.9465.95c; May, 5.9865.99c.

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Open. High. Low. Close. Sat. \$ 9216 \$ 9212 \$ 91 \$1 1215 \$ 9216 \$ 9212 91 \$1 1215 \$ 936 \$ 836 \$ 8856 \$ 8854 \$ 8952 Oct \$. Dec May 8932 Oct 26% 26% 30% 30% 20% 29% Dec May 18½ 185 185 185 21½ 21½ 20% 20% Oct Dec May

oats—Cash—No. 2 mixed, 184@184c; No.

ELOPERS TOOK THE BOY. Senbrooke and Jennette Lowrle Were

Accompanied by Alf Hampton's Son. Thomas Q. Seabrooke and Jeanette Lowrie, who left for Europe on the St. Louis,

took with them the 3-year-old son of Alf Hampton, who, it was supposed, had been left behind in the care of strangers.

The one friend to whom Mr. Scabrooke intrusted all his secrets, seeing the distress of Alf Hampton, said:

"I have never seen anything like the furious infatuation of Tom. Jeanette and he had a red hot quarrel when she joind the 'Wandering Minstrel' company, and had but recently been reconciled. The difficulty had upset Scabrooke completely and the effect upon him was most extraordinary. He was utterly unable to concentrate his mind, and completely forgot his lines in 'Papa Gou Gou.' Why, he had to be prompted to every line. Then came the renewal of their friendship, and took with them the 3-year-old son of Alf had to be prompted to every line. Then came the renewal of their friendship, and Seabrooke brightened up and became himself again. departure of the lovers was ar-"The departure of the lovers was arranged with exquisite tact, and nobody had anything to do with it, knowingly. Mrs. Lowrie loved her boy too much to leave him behind. Seabrooke had state room No. 281 on the St. Louis, and Mrs. Lowrie and her boy No. 56, where the boy was locked in until the steamer had passed Sandy Hook.

LOCAL LIVE STOCK MARKET

ATTLE SELLING SLOWLY AND GEN-ERALLY AT LOWER PRICES.

Hogs, Too, Less Active and Off Again -Packers the Only Buyers-Sheep Fairly Active and Firm.

Western receipts past 48 hours: Ch. St.L. Cattle.10,100 Hogs:3,900 Sheep. 5,100 $\frac{2,900}{6,500}$ $\frac{1,600}{1}$ | Hogs. | 2,900 | 26,000 | 6,500 | 109 |
Sheep.	5,100	15,000	1,500	10,100	
Same time last year	Cattle.	12,000	20,000	2,700	4,400
Hogs.	5,200	41,900	4,100	1,500	
Sheep.	5,400	22,000	900	600	
New York, Oct.	18.—Cables quote American steers at 104% all'gc; refrigerator beef, 74/75c. No exports.	Cattle. Calves, CATTLE—Movements for past 48 hours: Cattle. Calves, Receipts.	10,082	662	
Receipts.	10,082	662			
Drive-outs	6,472				

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38. 555 4. 450 TEXAS AND INDIAN CALVES 22. TEXAS AND INDIAN OXEN.
TEXAS AND INDIAN OXEN. 11 00 10....145..... 2 90 | 2....1350..... 2 HOGS—Movements the past 48 hours: 2 90 HOGS—Movements the past 48 hours:

Receipts 3,965
Shipments 4.72
Drive-outs 6,472.

There were not many in yesterday, but as the markets east of us were all lower and no outside demand, packers had everything their own way and sales dragged, and prices 5c lower than Saturday on the general receipts. A few nice lights were only 24c off, but the general market made a decline of fully 5c, and at this reduction the pens were finally cleared. The extreme range was \$2.8543.70, bulk of sales, \$3.5569
5.60.

REPRESENTATIVE SALES. REPRESENTATIVE SALES. No. Dk

EPRESENTATIVE SALES.

Av. Price, No. Dk. Av. Price, 170 \$2 00 | 137 20 \$8 \$2 85 | 284 | 3 524 67 | 160 | 223 | 3 55 | 262 | 3 55 | 75 | 40 | 243 | 3 57 4 | 229 | 3 60 | 101 | 40 | 223 | 3 60 | 204 | 3 60 | 74 | 160 | 250 | 3 60 | 204 | 3 60 | 208 | 3 60 | 60 | 80 | 252 | 3 60 | 208 | 3 60 | 60 | 80 | 252 | 3 60 | 208 | 3 60 | 83 | 160 | 204 | 3 60 | 270 | 3 65 | 78 | 80 | 181 | 3 65 | 270 | 3 65 | 78 | 80 | 183 | 3 674 | 206 | 208 | 3 60 | 67 | 80 | 208 | 3 574 | 208 | 208 | 3 60 | 70 | 40 | 287 | 3 45 | 208 | 3 574 | 40 | 208 | 3 574 | 40 | 208 | 3 574 | 40 | 208 | 3 574 | 40 | 208 | 3 574 | 40 | 208 | 3 574 | 40 | 208 | 3 574 | 40 | 208 | 3 574 | 40 | 208 | 3 574 | 40 | 208 | 3 574 | 40 | 208 | 3 574 | 40 | 208 | 3 574 | 40 | 208 | 3 574 | 40 | 208 | 3 574 | 40 | 208 | 3 574 | 40 | 208 | 3 574 | 40 | 208 | 3 574 | 40 | 208 | 3 574 | 40 | 208 | 3 574 | 40 | 208 | 3 574 | 40 | 208 | 3 574 | 40 | 208 | 3 574 | 40 | 208 | 3 574 | 40 | 208 | 3 574 | 40 | 208 | 3 574 | 40 | 208 | 3 574 | 40 | 208 | 3 574 | 40 | 208 | 3 574 | 40 | 208 | 3 574 | 40 | 208 | 3 574 | 40 | 208 | 3 574 | 40 | 208 | 3 574 | 40 | 208 | 3 574 | 40 | 208 | 3 574 | 40 | 208 | 3 574 | 40 | 208 | 3 574 | 40 | 208 | 3 574 | 40 | 40 | 208 | 3 574 | 40 | 208 | 3 574 | 40 | 208 | 3 574 | 40 | 208 | 3 574 | 40 | 208 | 3 574 | 40 | 208 | 3 574 | 40 | 208 | 3 574 | 40 | 208 | 3 574 | 40 | 208 | 3 574 | 40 | 208 | 3 574 | 40 | 208 | 3 574 | 40 | 208 | 3 574 | 40 | 208 | 3 574 | 40 | 208 | 3 574 | 40 | 208 | 3 574 | 40 | 208 | 3 574 | 40 | 208 | 3 574 | 40 | 208 | 3 574 | 40 | 208 | 3 574 | 40 | 208 | 3 574 | 40 | 208 | 3 574 | 40 | 208 | 3 574 | 40 | 208 | 3 574 | 40 | 208 | 40 | 208 | 40 | 208 | 40 | 208 | 40 | 208 | 40 | 208 | 40 | 208 | 40 | 208 | 40 | 208 | 40 | 208 | 40 | 208 | 40 | 208 | 40 | 208 | 40 | 208 | 40 | 208 | 40 | 208 | 40 | 208 | 40 | 208 | 40 | 40 | 208 | 40 | 208 | 40 | 208 | 40 | 208 | 40 | 208 | 40 | 208 | 40 | 208 | 40 | 208 | 40 | 208 | 40 | 208 | 40 | 208 | 40 | 208 | 40 | 208 | 40 | 208 | 40 | 208 | 40 | 208 | 40 | 208 | 40 | 2 200 80 80 40 160 120 120 200 40 ::: 9 ... 275 3 40 70 40 287 3 63 ... 296 3 55 60 40 213 3 67 240 288 3 5714 88 80 192 3 72 ... 210 3 60 79 ... 226 3 86 40 236 3 60 80 200 191 3 55 40 236 3 60 87 200 191 3 63 ... 211 3 60 87 80 226 3 63 ... 211 3 60 87 ... 187 3 74 80 191 3 65 73 ... 198 3 86 191 3 65 73 ... 198 3 86 191 3 65 73 ... 198 3 Receipts.....Shipments.....

 26 lambs
 Av.W

 142 Idaho stock lambs
 73

 142 Idaho stock lambs
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 22
 113

 784 Utah sh & yr
 88

 108 Idaho
 38

 57 Idaho feeders
 83

 57 Idaho stock ewes
 92

 28 Idaho stock ewes
 92

HORSES—Draft horses, good 1.250 to 1.450 pounds ... \$40 000 50 00 Extra draft ... 65 000100 00 Drivers, good ... 45 000 50 00 Drivers, extra ... 75 0000115 00 Saddlers, common to good ... 20 000 45 00 Saddlers, extra ... 55 0000100 00 Southern mares and horses ... 15 0000 35 00 Plugs ... 5 0000 15 00 MULES—Mules, 13 to 14 hands.

past 48 hours:

LOCAL PRODUCE MARKET.

Fairly Healthy-But Little Change is Prices-Most Good Stuff Wanted.

Quotations below are for job lots. On small lots higher prices are asked and ob-tained, enough being asked to cover extra cost of caring for and filling them. EUTTER-More coming in, but mar-ket held firm. Receipts, 211 packages. Ret held firm, Receipts, 211 packages, We quote: Extra fancy separator, 22c; firsts, 20c; seconds, 15c; dairy, fancy, 17c; choice, 14c; store packing stock, 76.9c.

EGGS—Not so many coming in and market steady. Receipts, 156 cases, Fresh candled, Missouri and Kansas, 114c per dreen. iczen. POULTRY-Receipts light, 49 coops, and market steady. We quote: Hens, 6c; breit-ers, 7½c; large springs, 6c; roosters, 125c each. Ducks, 566c; young ducks, 64c. Old each. Ducks, 536c: young ducks, 64c. Old geese, 5c; springs, 64c. Turkeys, 8c, Pigcons, 66c dozen.

EUTTERINE—We quote: Dairy grades, 16c; medium grades, 12c; high grades, 124c; 1-pound rolls, bricks and prints, 1c over above prices; 2 and 3-pound rolls, 10 and 20-pound packages, 42c over above prices.

CHECSE—Market firm and selling fairly.

Quoted as follows: New York and Ohio full cream, 11½012c; Wisconsin fancy, full cream, 10½011c; Young America, full cream, 16x11½c; Missouri, Kansas and Iowa, full cream, 16x104c.—Market steady and demand FOTATOES-Market steady and demand fair: Home grown, poor, 19959c per bushel; good to choice, 59955c; Nebraska, 55955c per bushel; in a jobbing way a little higher. Colorado, 65959c per bushel. SWEET POTATOES-Slow sale, but un-changed. Quoted at 35959c per bushel from growers.

Colorado, 67070c per bushel.

SWEET POTATOES—Slow sale, but unchanged. Quoted at 35000c per bushel from growers.

GRAPES—Offerings good and prices still low. Concord 10015c per basket; Niagaras, 15020c; Delawares and Lindeys, 25c per basket; California, Muscat, \$1,199, 1.25 per basket; California, Muscat, \$1,199, 1.25 per 4-basket crate. Tokay, \$1,25.

PEACHES—Season fast drawing to a close, and demand only fair. Quoted as follows: Good to choice clings, 35040c per one-third bushel box; poor, 250, 55c; good to choice freestones, 75c481.09 per 4-basket crate, 1601.50 per 6-basket crate; home grown. 25045c per basket. White Heath, 35040c per peck basket.

GAME—Demand a little better. Quoted: Ducks, mallard, \$3,50 per dozen; teal, \$2.00; mixed, \$1.50. Jacksnipe, \$1.00 per dozen. Plover, \$1.50 per dozen. Squirrels, \$1.90 per dozen. Plover, \$1.50 per dozen. Squirrels, \$1.250 per dozen. Plover, \$1.50 per dozen. Squirrels, \$1.250 per dozen. Plover, \$1.50 per dozen. Plover, \$1.50 per bushel; common to fair, \$2500 per bushel; per bushel box: \$25040c per pushel; common to fair, \$2500 per bushel; per bushel box.

NUTS—Quoted as follows: Chestnuts, 1200 lie per pound, Coccanuts, \$1.50 per 100; small lots, 50c dozen. Pecans, Texas, polished, \$6712c; Mexican pecans, 709c. Peanuts, Virginia white, raw, 455c per pound; Tennessee, raw, 455c; roasted, \$650c; Kansas, \$25c; Taragona almonds, 11012c. Cailfornia walluts, 11012c; standard, \$910c. Planon, 13014c; Brazil, \$240c; Blberts, \$9610c. FRUITS—Lemons, \$1.5061.75 per box.

VEGETABLES—Not so many on sale, but prices unchanged. Home grown cabbage, 200750c per doz.; Northern stock, Holland, \$0985c per 100-pound crate bushel. Turnips, 25050c per bushel. Carrots, 25050c bu. Lima beans, 45050c gailon. Green and wax beans, 75c per bushel. Lettuce, 60675c per bushel. Celery, Michigan stock, 30050c, Hubbard squash, 50075c per dozen in a small way. Pumpkins, 40075c per dozen.

Wool, Hides and Pelts. Wool, Hides and Pelts.

WOOL — Demand fair at old prices, Missouri and similar—Fine, 1347,ac; combing, 1847,2c; coarse, 1741,9c. Kansas, Nebraska and Indian Territory—Fine, 1961,3c; fine medium, 11914c; medium, 1547,c; combing, 1961,9c; coarse, 1347,15c. Colorado—Fine, 1961,3c; fine medium, 1347,15c; extra heavy and sandy, 849,c; burry, 243,c less, HIDES AND PELITS—Steady and selling fairly. Green and salted, free of brands, per pound, No. 1, 9c; No. 2, 8c; Nos. 1 and 2, around 84,c; green salted kips, 15 to 25 pounds, No. 1, 194,c; No. 2, 94,c; No. 2, 96, green uncured, No. 1, 74,c. Sheep pelts, green, 254,65c; dry, 44,455,c. 45, No. 2, 20, No. 2, 24,65, No. 2, 25, No. 2, No. green. 2565c; dry. 45654c per pound. St. Louis. Oct. 18.—WOOL—Market steady; medium. 15621c; light fine. 12564c; heavy line, 19614c; tub washed, 22631c.

Provisions. There was a better feeling and more trading yesterday, a good car lot as well as jobbing demand being had, a higher spec-ulative market encouraging buyers and in-

fluencing stronger prices.

We quote in car lots:
GREEN MEATS-Shoulders, \$4.75@4.85; GREEN MEATS-Shoulders, \$4.75@4.85; per cwt.; hams, \$7.00@7.15. SWEET PICKLED MEATS-Hams, \$7.25 @7.50; shoulders, \$5.25@5.50. DRY SALT MEATS-Shoulders, cash, \$5.25 per cwt.; short ribs sides, cash, \$4.75; long clear sides, \$4.75; short clear sides, \$5.10. LARD-Cash, \$4.20.

Geo.R. Barse Pres. J.H. Waite Sec. & Treas. BARSE LIVE COMMISSION

Rooms 159-160, Live Stock Exchange bldg. Capital Stock, \$250,000. Paid Up. Buying Stockers and Feeders given special attention Reasonable Advances to Feeders. Tel. 1849.

LIVE STOCK BY TELEGRAPH.

South Omaha, Oct. 18.—CATTLE—Receipts 5,700 head. Market steady. Beaves, \$3.8594.75; stockers and feeders, \$3.0094.49; cows, \$2.0093.50, HOGS—Receipts, 6,500 head. Market 5c lower. Top, \$3.92½. SHEEP—Receipts, 10,100 head. Market steady.

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St. Louis, Oct. 18.—CATTLE—Receipts 2,900 head. Natives inferior but strong. Texans strong. Native beeves, \$3.85@4.60; Texas steers, \$3.00@3.75.
HOGS—Receipts, 6,500 head. Market 5c lower. Top, \$3.29½.
SHEEP—Receipts, 1,600 head. Market steady. Sheep, \$2.75@2.90; lambs, \$3.50@5.15.
Chicago, Oct. 18.—CATTLE—Receipts, 20,-000. Good sold pretty well at firm prices, while common and medium grades sold only fairly at barely steady prices. Native cattle were wanted at \$3.90 @4.50 for common to good dressed beef steers, while good to extra shipping cattle were active at \$4.50@5.35. Choice beeves were in only fair supply and the bulk of the cattle went for \$4.50@5.10, half fat and over large steers comprising, as usual, too over large steers comprising, as usual, too large a share of the offerings. There was a fair demand for stockers and feeders at \$2.00@4.35; choice to fancy calves sold at \$3.0074.35; choice to fancy calves sold at \$6.2546.75.

HOGS—Receipts, 35.000. There was a fairly active demand and sales were made largely at 5c under last week's closing prices, undesirable lots ruling the weak-set. Sales were made of heavy packers at \$3.3673.55, while prime light weights brought \$3.9074.00, the bulk crossing the scales at \$3.6073.50. The market gathered strength as the day advanced and the late sales were at the best prices, the supply being about all sold.

SHEEP—Receipts, 17.000. Trade in sheep

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SHEEP—Receipts, 17,000. Trade in sheep and lambs was again lively, prices ruling strong from the opening to the close. Sheep were wanted at \$2.5962.00 for the poorest natives, up to \$4.2564.50 for the best flocks. Western range sheep sold actively at \$3.2563.80. Lambs sold briskly at \$3.7565.00, largely at \$4.7565.50. Feeding lambs sold at \$4.4664.475 and feeding sheep went largely at \$3.6063.65.

NEW BANK AT ALMA, KAS.

Application Was Approved Yesterday -Weekly Bulletin of Reserve Agency Approvals.

Washington, Oct. 18.—(Special.) The application of the following persons for authority to organize the Alma National bank, Alma, Kas., with a capital of £0,000, has today been approved: L. Palenske, J. R. Henderson, Frad Lutz, Jacob Horne, Lardner J. McCrumb.

The National Bank of Commerce, of Kansas City, has been approved as reserved.

OF INTEREST TO STOCKMEN

THE TEXAS SANITARY COMMISSION CHANGES QUARANTINE DATE.

Laws Will Go in Effect January 1 Instend of February 15-Report of Inspector McCoy-News Notes and Personal Items.

The Texas live stock sanitary commission has fixed January 1 instead of Feb-ruary 15, as heretofore, as the date for putting in force its quarantine laws, thus adding six weeks to next year's quarantine season. A letter received at the yards from W. B. Tullis, of the commission, says: "The board has determined to permit cat-

tle in the counties of Hardeman, Wilbarger, Foard, Knox, King, Haskell, Stonewall, Jones, Fisher, Scurry, Mitchell, Sterling and Irion to be moved or shipped upon the owner or person in charge of same making affidavit before the county judge of the county where located, supported by the oath of two disinterested resident citizens of said county, stating that said cattle are healthy, free from ticks and fever, and giving brand of said cattle, where located and where they are to be driven, which affidavit must be made in duplicate, one to be forwarded to me by the said county judge and one to be delivered by the shipper to the railroad agent where cattle are shipped.

"Cattle must not be moved in any event when they are infested with ticks, fever, or are not healthy.

"It is further ordered that all shipping pens, and all ears into which said cattle are to be loaded, shall be thoroughly disinfected by the respective railroad com-panies before receiving any of said cattle for shipment. This order applies only to for shipment. This order applies only to the counties hereinbefore named.

"Cattle located east and south of the gen-eral quarantine line, and in the state of Texas, may be moved across and into the territory west and north of said line after the 15th day of November and prior to the 1st day of January."

Colonel J. G. McCoy, inspector here for the state of Kansas, in his report to the live stock sanitary commission for the last week, given below, shows a continued fall movement of stockers and feeders into that state. He says:

"Cattle shipped from the yards to interior points in the State, 19.822 head, and driven out, 25 head; making a total of shipped and driven into Kansas of 11.547 head."

Also, permits were issued by Mr. McCoy during the week for shipping direct from the ranges into Kansas pastures, from Texas and Oklahoma, 3.455 head of cattle, making a grand total entering the state during the week by permits from the Kansas City inspector of 15,022 head of stock and feeding cattle.

Kansas City continues to gain sheep trade

Kansas City continues to gain sheep trade from the far West. E. D. Hale, of South-eastern Idaho, came in yesterday for the first time with 481 sheep and lambs. They were sold by Knollin & Booth at \$3.6 to \$4.0. Mr. Hale was much pleased with his trip and says he may be put down as a Kansas City man. The sheep business in his section, he says, is picking up. Most sheep men are now increasing rather than diminishing their flocks, and the past year have done well, and he thinks the future promises as well for them as any other stockmen.

Visitors at the Yards With Stock. Berridge Bros, Goffs, Kas., had in hogs

yesterday,
J. Lock, Woodward, O. T., was in yester-day with cattle. Naylor & Jones, Wagoner, I. T., had in cattle yesterday. J. R. True & Co., Ryan, Tex., had in cattle yesterday I. E. Jones, Clarendon, Tex., was up yes-terday with cattle. A. Hance, Canadian, Tex., was up yes-terday with cattle. W. E. Wilson, Kiowa, Kas., came in yes-terday with cattle. P. G. Walton, Harper, Kas., came in yesterday with hogs. J. M. Shelton, Miami, I. T., was here yesterday with cattle.
H. M. Braley, Clarendon, Tex., was up yesterday with cattle. Brown Bros. & Fuller, Holdenville, I. T., had in cattle yesterday.

Owen & Griffith, Lane, Kas., had in cattle and hogs yesterday. J. E. Campbell, Taiula, I. T., was on the yards yesterday with cattle. W. Parker, Woodward, O. T., was at the yesterday with cattle C. O. Oman, Oaktsha, I. T., was at the yards yesterday with cattle. Colonel Starr, Vian, I. T., was at the yards yesterday with cattle. J. C. Quarles, Curtis, I. T., was on the yards yesterday with cuttle. James Crawford, Purcell, I. T., was here yesterday with cattle and hogs. R. B. Masterson, Bazaar, Kas., was on the yards yesterday with cattle. Cass Land and Cattle Company, Amarillo, Tex., had in cattle yesterday.

James H. Tuttle and H. B. Johnson, Minco, Tex., were here yesterday with cattle.

James Beattle & Co., R. T. Davis and P. and S. Witherspoon, Red Rock, L. T., were in yesterday with cattle. TWO CALVES IN THREE MONTHS Remarkable Performance of a Cow in South Carolina-Astonished

the Villagers. W. McC. Venning, of Mount Pleasant, is the proud possessor of a cow that has given birth to two calves within the past three months, says the Charleston News and Courier. In June she became the mother of a healthy calf. Since then she has been months, says the Charleston News and Courier. In June she became the mother of a healthy calf. Since then she has been a steady milker, and a few nights ago astonished the little village by having another offspring. The second calf is a stout, well built young animal, and is sporting around to the amusement of the villagers. The first one is almost large enough to eat hay, and is disposed to fight its younger brother for the mother's affection. The cow is still furnishing milk to her people, and does not seem to think her feat near so strange as the citizens of Mount Pleasant do. For a time Alhambra hall is forgotten and from all sides of the town the children have swarmed to see "de cow wot have two calfs in t'ree months."

But there is no fake about this cow. If the story is doubted it will be an easy matter to get bundles of proof and affidavits from Mr. Venning and others. The oldest Charlestonian cannot recall an instance of a cow having made such a record. It is true there have been cows that have given birth to twins. The case is remarkable, and adds a new phase to cow culture, whatever that may be.

Many persons yesterday who heard of the Mount Pleasant prodigy said it was all bosh. But it isn't. Good men, and honorable men, and men who know how to vouch for its truth, are prepared to prove it. This cow will go down in history. In years to come she will rival the one in Chicago that kicked over the kerosene lamp, or even the famous bull of the crockery store. Mount Pleasant feels a local pride in the animal, and it is probable that some official recognition will be taken of her patriotic service. It has been suggested that a joilification meeting be held and souvenirs in the shape of milk shakes be presented to the guests.

PENSIONS.

Washington, Oct. IS.—The following pen-sions have been granted:

MISSOURI.

Original—Henry A. Hannaca, Glasco;
Charles H. Brace, St. Louis: Lawson Cof-fey, Alanthus Grove; John Driskiel, Limn Creek

Restoration and reissue-John P. Shropshire, Astoria. shire, Astoria.

Increase—James Hampton, Bethany.
Reissue—Michael Booker, Trenton.
Original, widow, etc.—Rebecca Higgins
bottom, Kaseyville.
VANSAS

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Original—Alonzo Wardall, Topeka.
Additional—Samuel Naylor, Yates Center,
Increase—Allen Wilson, Soldiers' heme,
Leavenworth: Theodore C. Baxter, Meade,
Increase—Benjamin Van Volkenburg,
Ness City,
Original, widow, etc.—Maggie A. McTaggart, Liberty.

OKLAHOMA TERRITORY.
Increase—Richard Thornton, Dover.

Original, widows, etc.—Lucy Meyers, Original, widows, etc.—Lucy Meyers, Guthrie; Sarah J. Kuhn, Lima. INDIAN TERRITORY. INDIAN TERRITORY.
Original—David Dougherty. Fairland.
Restoration and reissue—Henry Payne (deceased), Vinita.
Original, widows, etc.—Minors of Nee-tagur-gah, Stillwell; Susan E. Payne, Vinita.

Too Alluring.

From the Detroit Free Press,
Jinks-"How delightful is rest after
work!"
Winks-"Yes, so delightful, in fact, that
men don't always wait till after the work
to get it."